

## PEARS

Connecticut pear production ranked seventh in the United States for utilized production in 1999.

Less than optimal spring conditions kept 1999 pear production slightly below average. Connecticut's 1999 pear

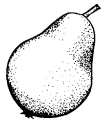
crop totaled 1,050 tons, five percent less than the previous year. Price was unchanged from the previous year, which resulted in a production value of \$736,000, 14 percent below 1998.

**PEARS: Production and Value, 1990 - 1999**

STATE & YEAR	Production		Utilized Price per Ton	Value of Utilized Production
	Total <sup>1/</sup>	Utilized <sup>2/</sup>		
	Tons		Dollars	1,000 Dollars
Connecticut				
1990	750	700	550	578
1991	1,200	1,200	600	720
1992	1,300	1,250	650	813
1993	1,250	1,200	600	720
1994	1,250	1,250	580	725
1995	950	950	700	665
1996	1,050	1,050	725	761
1997	1,200	1,200	700	840
1998	1,100	1,100	775	853
1999	1,050	950	775	736

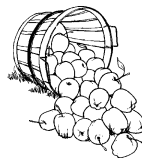
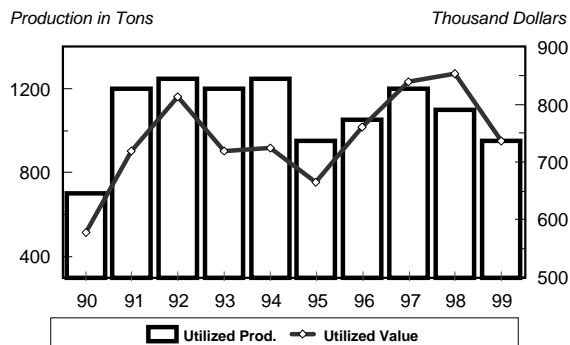
<sup>1/</sup> Total production is the quantity actually harvested plus quantities which would have been acceptable for fresh market or processing but were not harvested because of economic or natural reasons.

<sup>2/</sup> Utilized production is the amount sold plus the quantities used at home or held in storage.



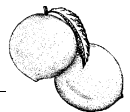
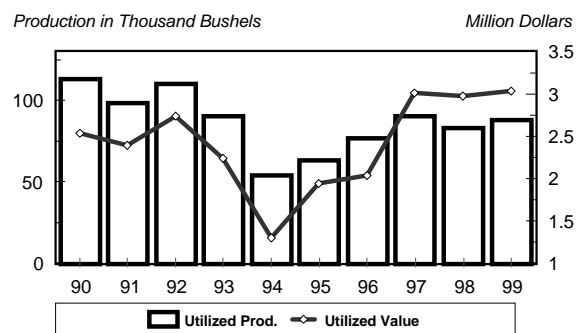
### Pear Utilized Production & Value

Connecticut, 1990 - 1999



### Peach Utilized Production & Value

Conn. & Mass., 1990 - 1999



### Apple Utilized Production & Value

New England, 1990 - 1999

